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# **Re-Forest** with **Sturdy** **Stock**



**Piedmont**  
**Forestry**  
**Company**

**Bound Brook • N. J.**

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PROPRIETOR

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THE presence of trees on your land will greatly enhance the value of your property. Pines, Spruces, Firs, and other evergreens are most satisfactory for both esthetic and practical purposes.

They cost less in the beginning and rapidly mature to the point where they produce good lumber which will more than repay the owner for the land they occupy and the small amount of attention they require.

For re-forestry purposes evergreens are most satisfactory, because they grow rapidly, they produce good lumber, and are easier and cheaper to plant than the long rooted Maples, Oaks, elms, etc.

For example, Norway Spruce will reach Christmas tree size in less than 10 years. There will undoubtedly be a great demand for this type of tree. Scotch Pine is particularly suitable to lumber production and grows rapidly yet sturdily.

From every standpoint, seedlings are preferable to transplants. They cost less and expenses incident to planting are considerably lower. While growth during the first year is very slow, the second year it is much more rapid. For that reason we recommend two-year seedlings, the percentage of mortality among which is practically nil.

#### PLANTING AND CARE

Immediately upon receipt of trees, unpack and spread out in a shallow sloping trench which has been dug in a shady place. Cover the roots and water lightly. Experience shows that Spring is the best planting time and the seedlings can be placed in the ground as soon as the frost is gone.

No preparation of the ground, such as plowing or cultivating is required. Two men can

do the entire work. After scraping off about one square foot of sod for each tree, one man makes the holes with a grubbing hoe; the other man carries the seedlings in a pail, with a small quantity of water in the bottom to keep the roots moist. He plants the trees and firmly and solidly presses the dirt against the roots with his heels.

NOTE: The roots of the trees must never become dry.

The standard forest planting for trees should be 6 feet each way, except in the case of Christmas tree planting, which can be spaced 3 feet each way, using all Spruce or alternating with Spruce and some other evergreen.

Obviously, the number of trees per acre depends on the spacing, which figures out as follows:

3 ft. x 3 ft.....	4840 trees per acre
4 ft. x 4 ft.....	2720 trees per acre
6 ft. x 6 ft.....	1210 trees per acre

In order to arrive at the cost of trees for your acreage, you will note that a 6 x 6 foot planting will give you 1210 trees per acre, or a total cost for trees of approximately \$12.00.

In order not to be disappointed, we suggest that you place your order as early as possible, for we have already sold out one entire species.

For your convenience you will find an order form as part of this folder.

Subject to previous sale, we are in a position to make the following attractive offer:

#### NORWAY SPRUCE

#### SCOTCH PINE

All at \$10.00 per 1000

Prices F. O. B. Bound Brook



# ORDER FORM

PIEDMONT FORESTRY COMPANY  
Bound Brook, N. J.

Please ship me by Parcel Post  
Express

NORWAY SPRUCE, 2 year seedlings.

SCOTCH PINE, 2 year seedlings.

Prices F.O.B. Bound Brook, N. J.

Name.....

Address.....

Cash must accompany all orders from parties unknown to us,  
or satisfactory references furnished.



## Directions for reaching property:

By AUTO—Drive along the State Highway, Route 9, to Bound Brook, turn north on Church street to Piedmont Drive, then along the Drive to the Nursery.

By TRAIN—Via C. R. R. of N. J. to Bound Brook Station; property within ten minutes' walk north on Church street along Piedmont Drive to the Nursery.